IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.

10/775,886

Confirmation No. 1418

Applicant

N. MATSUNAMI et al

Filed

February 10, 2004

Title

STORAGE DEVICE

TC/AU

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Examiner

G.P. Hein

Docket No. :

H-1210

Customer No.:

24956

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that a one-month Extension of Time, to and including June 23, 2006, be granted in which to respond to the Office Action dated February 23, 2006 in the above-identified application.

Our Credit Card Payment Form in the amount of \$120.00 is attached in payment of the appropriate fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional payment due, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1417.

Respectfully submitted,

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May 26, 2006